



DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

October 14, 2003

NOTICE

To: All Interested Parties

Subject: Public Hearing Regarding the 2004 Statewide Commingled Rate Calculation

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RECYCLING**

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Division 12.1, Chapter 4, Section 14549.5 (b) and (c) of the California Public Resources Code require the Department of Conservation (Department) to conduct a public hearing at least 60 days prior to establishing any new statewide commingled rates. The Department is required to make available to the public and any affected parties the Department's review of the statewide commingled rates and any proposed recalculations.

The hearing will detail the statewide commingled rates, which will become effective January 1, 2004. Summarized documentation of study data supporting the Department's review of the new statewide commingled rates will be available. There will also be an opportunity for interested parties to ask any questions regarding the recalculation of the statewide commingled rates.

This public hearing will be held at the place and time listed below:

**2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Friday, October 31, 2003
1027 Tenth Street, 6th Floor Conference Room
Sacramento, California**

Please note that the hearing will begin at 2:00 p.m. and will only continue through 4:00 p.m. if necessary. Attendees requiring more information after the conclusion of the hearing should contact the Department staff listed below.

In the event that you are unable to attend the hearing and would like to receive copies of the hearing materials, please direct your written request in advance to Amy Seyfried at the Division of Recycling, 1027 Tenth Street, 5th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814 or via e-mail at aseyfried@consvr.ca.gov.

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